



CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date April 8, 2004, in an envelope marked "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label No. EL 662088729 US, addressed to MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 is the patent application of:

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for:

METHODS OF TREATING METABOLIC SYNDROME USING DOPAMINE RECEPTOR AGONISTS

1. Type of Application

☐ Original ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-In-Part

2. Benefit of Prior Foreign Application(s) (35 U.S.C. § 119 a-d)

☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of
☐ prior foreign application serial no. _____, filed on
_____, in _____ (country); or
☐ PCT international application designating at least one country
other than the U.S. Application Serial No. _____, filed on
_____.

A certified copy is ☐ enclosed or ☒ on file in the prior application.

3. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. § 120 and/or § 119(e))

☒ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior
co-pending U.S. application(s):

Serial No. 10/627,014, filed on July 25, 2003, which claims the benefit
of U. S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/399,189, filed on July
29, 2002.

4. Papers Enclosed Which Are Required for Filing Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

[10]	page(s) of Specification
[2]	page(s) of Claims, having <u>11</u> claims, including <u>2</u> independent and <u>9</u> dependent claims
[1]	page(s) of Abstract
[0]	sheet(s) of <input type="checkbox"/> formal <input type="checkbox"/> informal Drawings



5. Additional Papers Enclosed

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
☒ Information Disclosure Statement
☒ Form PTO-1449
☒ Copies of Cited Art
☒ Other: Return Receipt Postcard

Declaration

6. An oath/declaration is ☒ enclosed ☐ not enclosed. [Unsigned].

7. Assignment

☐ Enclosed is a recordation form and an assignment of the invention to _____.

8. Small Entity Status

☒ Applicants claim small entity status.

9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	Number Filed	Number Extra		Rate	Basic Fee \$ 770.00
Total Claims	11	-20	-0-	\$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent claims	2	-3	-0-	\$86.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent claims, if any:				\$ 0.00	-0-
Total					\$ 770.00
Reduction for small entity by 50%					\$ 385.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$ 385.00

10. Method of Payment of Fees

- ☐ Check in the amount of \$
☒ Charge Account No. 23-1665 in the amount of \$385.00.

11. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 23-1665.

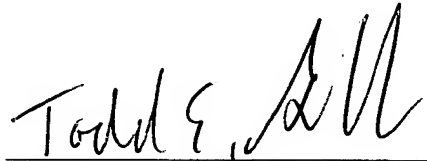
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